AMHERST COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Will and Estate Records

AMHERST COUNTY, VA will Dec 25, 1761
Will of William Sudarth, Sr. executred December 25, 1761. I give to my Daughters Sarah Denny, Agnes Willibey, Charity Tate, Elizabeth Ray one shilling Sterling, also I give to my three Sons James Sudarth, William Sudarth and Larnee Sudarth each of them one shilling Sterling and the rest of and residue of my hole [sic] Estate I give to my Youngest daughter Mary Sudarth also I appoint my daughter Mary Sudarth whole Executor of this my last Will and Testament. December 25, 1761. Signed William Sudarth. (Will Book 1, page 4)

AMHERST COUNTY, VA estate record April 5, 1762
Mary Suddarth qualifies as administrator of estate of William Suddarth. Bondsmen. Theophilus Faver, Charles Tate, and Lawrence Sudarth. (Amherst County Will Book 1, p. 5)

AMHERST COUNTY, VA will April 5, 1762
"At Court House on fifth day of April 1762 This last will and testament of William Sudarth deceased was resented. Proved by Oaths of Lawrance Sudarth and Theophilus Faver. Geo. Seaton, Clk. Amherst Co., VA. (Amherst Will Book 1, p. 343)

AMHERST COUNTY, VA will 1770
Pearce Wade's will dated Dec 13, 1769 and filed March 5, 1770 names wife Eliz. Where I live, daughters Susanna, Eliz. And Abigail Hardwich. Executors were Amb. Rucker, Rich. Peter, Rich. Shelton and James Crews. Adminsitrators Account to Susannah Wade for keeping mill; dower land to Eliz. Wade; tuition for children paid to Jn. Merritt and Jonathan Johnson: to Ballinger Wade for building widow's house and miller's house. By Administrators: Danl Gaines, Rich. Shelton, Ambr. Rucker, Benj. Rucker. July 4, 1774. (note from Ralph Denney)

AMHERST COUNTY, VA will Feb 27, 1784
Sam'l Denney, Charles Tate, and Wm. Allin witnesses to Feb. 27, 1784, will by Wm. Trotter. Estate left to Elinor Coffee. Executor of will was Sam'l S. Dinny. Will recorded May 3, 1784. (Wills of Amhert Co., 1761-1865, Will Book 2, p. 166)

AMHERST COUNTY, VA will Feb 15, 1785
Sam'l Denny was a bondsman for executor Elizabeth Wade, re John Wade's will in Amherst Co. dated Feb 15, 1785. John Wade's children were sons Dawson and Jesse and daughter Elinor Shasteen. John's wife Elizabeth. Will recorded July 2, 1787.